

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
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RESPONSE TO OCTOBER 17, 2007 FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, this Amendment is submitted in response to the Final Office Action mailed October 17, 2007. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the application in view of this amendment and remarks herein.

Applicant petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for responding to the Office Action dated October 17, 2007 by 1 month(s) for a fee of \$120 so that the period for response is extended to February 17, 2008 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136.